

As a resident of a very rural area of eastern Kentucky I rely entirely upon satellite radio, satellite television and satellite broadband internet. My broadcast options are extremely limited and unreliable. Since I travel extensively in the United States the XM Instant Traffic & Weather is very valuable to me. It allows me to plan my travel from a distance without having to identify and qualify a 'broadcast ' radio station in the area I am planning to visit. It also gives me a source of 'pre-qualified' local weather and traffic when I arrive.

I can not imagine how anyone could possibly object to me receiving information that I am paying for.

Therefore, I respectfully urge the FCC to reject the NAB petition 04-160.

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